judication and arbitration as the case may be.

Statement

Number of closures and number of workers affected due to them during 1983-85

Year	No. of closures*	No. of workers affected
1983(P)	226	43,234
1984(P)	188	71,937
1985(P) (Jan - Sept.)	103	21,596

(P) — Provisional.
(*) — Excluding 'off season' closures.

Import of Books

2882. DR. MOHD. HASHIM KIDWAI: Will the Minister of COMMERCE be pleased to state:

(a) the number of books on fiction and crime imported during the last three years; and

(b) what amount was involved in the import if these books?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF TEXTILES (SHRI KHURSHID ALAM KHAN)): (a) and (b) A statement showing import of printed books, booklets, brouchures, pamphlets, leaflets, catalogues printed, children's pictures and painting books during 1980-81 to 1982-83 (upto February, 1983) is attached. (*See below*) Further break up of these printed books into "Fiction" Crime or any other type of books is not available.

Statement

Import of Printed books, booklets, brochures, panplet and leaflets Children's Pictures and painting books during 1980-81 to 1982-83 (upto Feb.' 83)

Qty. in Thousand Kg.
Value in Rs. lakhs

Sl. No.	Description of Items	1980-81		1981-82		1982-83 (upto Feb. 1983)	
		Qty.	Value	Qty.	Value	Qty.	Value
1	Printed books	3296	1163·77	22542*	1461·55	3004	1705·73
2	Pamphlets, booklets, brochures leaflets, catalogues printed	261	122·41	115	38·95	194	75·47
3	Children's picture and painting books	4	0·80	8	2·39	15	8·01

SOURCE I : *For* 1980-81 *and* 1981-82 : Monthly Statistics of Foreign Trade of India Vol. II (Imports) published by The Directorate General of Commercial Intelligence and Statistics, Calcutta.

SOURCE II : *For* 1982-83 (*upto Feb.* '83) : Advance data received in the office of the Economic Advisor from The Directorate General of Commercial Intelligence and Statistics, Calcutta.

* This Figure is under verification.